

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Learning Strategy**  
**(Unit 11, page 89, Listening)**

**LISTENING STRATEGY: preparing to listen**

Think about possible answers before you listen.

**PRACTICE**

Read each statement. Then complete the statement in the box with an expression describing times before today.

1. If today is Sunday, then the party was on (Saturday / Friday / Thursday).

If today is Sunday, . . .

Saturday was \_\_\_\_\_.

Friday was the day before yesterday \_\_\_\_\_.

Thursday was \_\_\_\_\_.

2. If this is January, then their birthdays were in (February / December / January).

If this month is January, . . .

February was \_\_\_\_\_.

December was \_\_\_\_\_.

January is \_\_\_\_\_.

3. If today is Friday, then the game was on (Monday / Thursday / Wednesday).

If today is Friday, . . .

Monday was \_\_\_\_\_.

Thursday was \_\_\_\_\_.

Wednesday was \_\_\_\_\_.